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From: Castillo, Mariano
Sent: Mon 8/10/2015 3:58:06 PM
Subject: Re: UPDATE: EPA Gold King Mine Media Calls Information

Thanks, Robert.

Has the EPA released any maps? The news release below says the spill happened into Cement Creek, which is way up in Silverton, CO. If the contamination is now near Farmington, NM, that's quite a way it has traveled!

I'd like to pinpoint the coordinate where the incident happened, and how far the contamination has flowed thus far.

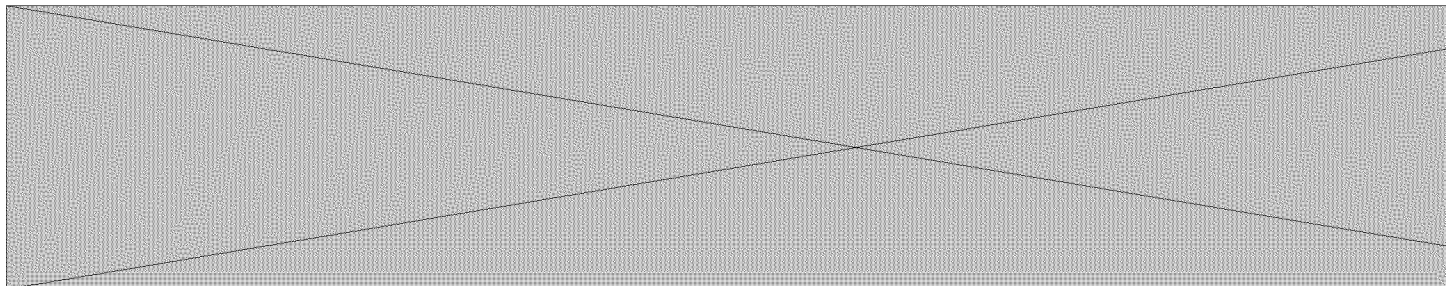
Best,

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From: Daguillard, Robert <Daguillard.Robert@epa.gov>
Sent: Monday, August 10, 2015 11:17 AM
To: Castillo, Mariano
Subject: UPDATE: EPA Gold King Mine Media Calls Information

Dear Mariano, I have to update some of the information I gave you a bit earlier. Please note the change in the media call dial-in information.

Keep in mind, EPA is planning on holding these calls through at least Friday, August 14.



Aug 10, 3 PM MTN: EPA Daily Media Call on Gold King Mine Release

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COLORADO, DALLAS, SAN FRANCISCO – (August 9, 2015) EPA is providing daily updates for members of the media via conference call. In order to provide better service and audio quality, we will use our operator assisted conferencing service.

WHO: EPA Officials from Denver, Dallas and San Francisco (varies by date)

WHEN: August 10, 3 PM (Mountain, MT)

WHERE: Conference Dial-in Number: **1-866-900-8984**

Conference Identification: **9662033**, Gold King Mine Release – EPA Media Update

On Aug. 5 while investigating Gold King Mine in Colorado, EPA and State Division of Reclamation Mining and Safety triggered a large release of mine wastewater into Cement Creek. EPA is working closely with first responders and local and state officials to monitor water contaminated by the spill. The spill path flows through 3 of EPA's regions (Region 8 (Colorado/Utah & Southern Ute Tribe); Region 6 (New Mexico), and Region 9 (Navajo Nation). EPA has activated its Emergency Operations System to ensure coordinate on among its regions, laboratories and national program offices in Washington DC. EPA is closely coordinating with the officials in Colorado, New Mexico, Utah, Southern Ute Tribe and Navajo Nation.

For the latest information, photos, and the data when available, visit
http://epaossc.org/site/site_profile.aspx?site_id=11082

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